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Applicants : Yingxian XIAO *et al.*

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS
FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO
ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES mailed June 14, 2006, Applicants
respectfully request that the present application be amended as follows.

In response to the Outstanding Office Action mailed June 24, 2005, please
amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins
on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.